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A request for suspension of examination of instant application in accordance with rule 1.103(c) was filed with the filing of the RCE by checking the appropriate box on the transmittal form PTO/SB/30, and included the fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i). Hence the Request for Suspension of Examination of the instant application under 37 CFR 1.103(c) with the filing of the RCE was proper, and hence the instant application is hereby suspended for a period of 3 months, starting on 15 October 2007, ending on 15 January 2008.

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